

## GEN. C. J. BAILEY SUCCEEDS WOOD

Who Retired To-day From  
Active Service in the  
Army

AFTER 36 YEARS  
OF MILITARY LIFE

Sec. Weeks Is To Select  
Vice-Governor for  
Philippines

Washington, D. C., Oct. 5.—Major General Wood retired today from active service in the army to accept appointment as governor general of the Philippine Islands, thus terminating voluntarily more than 36 years of distinguished military life. His retirement was caused by insistence of administration officials that he accept the new post and the refusal of Congress to permit him to do so while continuing his active army status.

In announcing the general's retirement, Secretary Weeks said he soon would select a vice governor for the islands and expected immediately to commission General Wood to duty as governor general. He announced also that nominations would be forwarded to Congress without delay promoting Brigadier General Charles J. Bailey, commanding the second coast artillery district, to fill the vacancy caused by General Wood's retirement.

### NORWICH EXPECTS HARD GAME.

With Rensselaer Polytechnic Team  
Next Saturday.

Northfield, Oct. 5.—The university officials are making elaborate plans for the dedication of Sabine field, the new athletic field of Norwich university, on Saturday, Oct. 8. On this date the maroon and gold team will face the fast Rensselaer eleven.

Large temporary football bleachers have been constructed opposite the center of the gridiron, affording the best view of any football field in Vermont. The surface of the new field is as smooth as a table top, for it has been returned and rolled weekly for the past month and a half.

Manager Mellen has completed all details necessary for the handling of the largest football crowd in the history of Norwich. There will be ample parking facilities, and everything will be done to make the stay of the visitors as pleasant as possible. Coach Potter brought his charges through the Maine game with but few minor injuries. The coach and the team expect a hard game with the Rensselaer outfit, because of their reputation for turning out fast, scrappy teams. The coaching staff will be further augmented by the services of a former Ohio state star, whose name will be divulged later.

### STECHEER WON DECISION.

Over Strangler Lewis After Two Hours  
Wrestling.

San Francisco, Oct. 5.—Joe Stecher won a referee's decision over Ed (Strangler) Lewis after two hours wrestling without a fall here last night. Both are former world's heavyweight champions.

### Tender-Hearted Girl.

Edith—But why did you become engaged to Jack if you don't intend to marry him?  
Mabel—Well, poor Jack is very sensitive and you know it mortifies a man much more to be refused than to have the engagement broken.—Boston Transcript.

### Think It Over.

Golfer—"I suppose you've been round the links with those players who beat me?"  
No answer.  
Golfer (slightly louder)—"I suppose you've been round the links with those players who beat me, eh?"  
Caddie—"I heard vera well what ye said the first time. I'm thinking about it."—Spare Moments.

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### THE AGE OF THE EARTH.

Latest Estimate By a British Scientist  
—Six Billion Years.

The age of the earth discussion on Tuesday attracted the largest and most representative audience one has seen, and some hundreds had to be turned away through lack of room. All the physicists, mathematicians, geologists, and zoologists were there, besides many of the chemists and stray members from other sections of the British association for the advancement of science.

Lord Rayleigh opened by stating that he had definite evidence to bring forward. He would not say that his answer was right, but he would not be giving it if he did not think it was. Thirty years ago Lord Kelvin said the earth was cooling at a rate which made it seem certain, "provided no new source of heat were discovered," that 20,000,000 years ago it was unfit for the existence of life. The same reasoning, with the same qualification, showed that in another 20,000,000 years the sun would no longer be a source of light and heat for its planets. The geologists and zoologists objected that the time was too short, but they had no very definite data to found their case on.

Within recent years the discovery of the release of intra-atomic energy by radioactive substances had put an entirely new aspect on the question, at least as regards the earth. Uranium was changed through radium to lead by a long series of transformations, in which "chips" of helium were thrown off with enormous velocity, producing heat as one of their results. Indeed, the difficulty just now was to understand why the earth should not be getting hotter instead of cooler, in view of the quality of uranium present in the earth's crust.

How could the transformation of uranium into lead be made a clock for measuring past eras? The rate of the transformation per annum was accurately known. It was excessively small, only 1.22x10-10 of a given quantity per annum. If they took a mineral containing uranium lead and estimated the relative amounts of these substances present, they could calculate the time of the formation of the mineral in question. The result showed that the oldest of archaic rocks had an antiquity of 925,000,000 years.

Similar evidence was got from the amount of helium present, if one allowed for its tendency to evaporation and diffusion. If the same methods were used for rocks of more recent geological formation smaller results were naturally attained. On the whole, physical chemistry confirmed geology in the sequences of strata it had accepted. For example, iron ore from a certain cone formation was found to be 30,000,000 years old, but the earth's crust in some form or other was older than the oldest rocks, and from an estimation of the total quantities of uranium and lead present an antiquity of something like 6,000 million years was probable.—Manchester Guardian.

## IN LOCAL MARKETS

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Butter 46@47c a  
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Dressed pork—13@13½c.

Veals—13@15c.

Lamb—18@20c.

Fowls—30@32c.

Chicken—35@38c.

Fresh eggs—48@50c.

Butter—46@47c.

Potatoes, plenty—90c@1 bu.

### BOSTON MARKET REPORT.

Jobbing Quotations on Butter, Eggs  
and Cheese.

Boston, Oct. 5.—Local jobbing prices follow:

Butter—Fancy northern creamery, tubs 47½@48c; fancy northern creamery, boxes 49½@50c; fancy northern creamery, prints 49½@51c; western creamery, fair to good, 41½@42c.

Eggs—Fancy henner, 74@76c; choice eastern, 64@65c; fresh western extra firsts, 50@52c; fresh western firsts, 45@48c; refrigerator firsts, 43@44c; seconds, 40@42c.

Cheese—New York twins, fancy, 22@23c; New York twins, fair to good, 20@21c; Young America, 23@24c.

### Plan to Brighten Monday.

Some people in England have been talking of starting a "Jolly Monday club," the object of which is to take the business out of the first day of the week. The members will be pledged to smile directly after they awake in the morning and to keep smiling all day. They are to greet everyone with "A happy new week to you." Why not? they ask, since you can't have a happy new year unless you have happy weeks.

A few of the proposed rules for members are:  
A husband must say, "Goodbye, darling, I'm glad it's Monday, so that I can go to the office and earn more money for you and the dear children."

Wife to neighbor, "Good morning, Mrs. Blank. How delightful it is that washing day has come round again."

Employer (to himself), "Monday again. Thank goodness! No more wages to pay until next Saturday."

While the cat is supposed to purr, "So glad it's Monday. The house won't be crowded and I can snooze again in my favorite chair."—Boston Transcript.

### The Cure.

Rub—What's the easiest way to give up smoking.  
Dub—Marry a woman who objects to it.—New York Sun.

### Very Undignified.

Hewitt—Gruet hasn't any dignity.  
Jewett—True enough. I understand that he lets his mother-in-law call him by his first name.—New York Sun.

### His Real Lack.

"What, giving up already?" said a gentleman to a youthful angler. "You must bring a little more patience with you next time, my boy."  
"Taint patience I'm out of, mister; it's worms," was the reply.—Boston Transcript.

### Sunburnt In, Perhaps.

Chicago ad—Lost—Purse by a widow with initials on back.—Boston Transcript.

### WAITSFIELD

Mrs. Dwight Long will have a full of millinery on sale at F. H. Newcomb's in Waitsfield during first two weeks of October (Oct. 3 to 15).—adv.

### SAVES SABRE TOOTHED TIGER.

Los Angeles Man Models Likeness of  
Prehistoric Beast.

Gone from the earth before the contract was let for the pyramids, the ferocious and all devouring sabre toothed tiger that ruled the animal kingdom 200,000 years ago has no secrets from the scientists of to-day, and a Los Angeles man even has gone so far as to sculpture in concrete what he considers to be a perfect reproduction of the terrible monster with the sabred mouth.

The scientist, William A. Spaulding, has the sculptured piece in the workshop at his residence. He was president of the Southern California Academy of Science for four terms, and in that capacity he had occasion to learn as much about the sabre toothed tiger as men of to-day are permitted to know.

He was instrumental in opening the famous fossil beds at Brea, where the remains of the tigers were found in good enough preservation to reconstruct the skeletons.

From the relics of the skeletons, uncovered in the Brea pits he has concluded that the tigers of 200,000 years ago were similar in size to the Bengals of to-day, differing essentially from them in their outstanding feature—the long sabre teeth from which no enemy could be safe.

With the skeleton remains of the tigers sufficiently reproduced to outline the forms and physical characteristics of the tigers, Mr. Spaulding found little difficulty in making a likeness of the animal. In his art work he has reproduced the skeleton proportions and added the external characteristics of the cat family, whereby he believes a perfect copy has been accomplished of the fire-eyed feline demon that roamed supreme in the days before man was.—Los Angeles Express.

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### Two Are Not Company.

Bored wife—I wish a friend would come to see us.  
Ditto husband—Yes, or even an enemy.—London Opinion.

### SALTS FINE FOR ACHING KIDNEYS

We Eat Too Much Meat Which Clogs  
Kidneys, Then the Back  
Hurts.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless; inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complications.

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Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Longwood of Lawrence, Mass., came Monday for a visit to her sister, Mrs. L. C. Jones, and family.

Miss Edith Strong of Warren is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. A. Bingham. H. C. Thornton was in St. Albans over Tuesday night in order that he might be present at the wedding of a friend on Wednesday morning.

Victor Bousquet of Salem, Mass., was a guest at J. M. Bousquet's a part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Connor have moved to Massachusetts where Mr. Connor has employment on a gladioli farm.

Mrs. Philip King returned from Heaton hospital Saturday, on account of sore eyes. Her infant son remained for further medical treatment.

Mrs. Addie Dennison accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dennison to New Hampshire last week for a visit among relatives, returning Friday. On Saturday Mrs. Dennison accompanied them to their home in St. Albans.

Jewett Demas has moved from the Heath house to the John Hobart place.

Mrs. Harold Breer is seriously ill. Mrs. A. C. Taplin, Mrs. W. H. Vaughn and Mrs. E. C. Cooney were in Montpelier Friday to attend a meeting of the Rainy Day club.

Madam Gregory of Jonesville and Mrs. Lillian Gregory of Detroit, Mich., were guests at Norman Dibble's the latter part of the week.

Monday night was observed as ladies' night at the grange and a fine program was presented.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hovey and three children of East Hardwick were callers at F. J. Eaton's Sunday.

Mrs. L. J. Russell of Moretown has been a recent visitor in town.

E. L. Wallen moves this week from the M. E. parsonage to the Welch place at Montpelier Junction.

### Did All He Could.

"I'm not pleased with your school report, Bobby," said his father with solemn look.

"I told the teacher you wouldn't be, but she refused to change it."—Edinburgh Scotsman.

### The Hint Timely.

Sagehead—While with you I am in a sea of love.  
Miss Sweet—Isn't it most time you struck out for home?—New York Sun.



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